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WANTED.—A respectable woman as companion, and to assist at housekeeping. A good home; country residence. References required. Apply to C. T., Oriental hotel. sep27-1w

WANTED.—A respectable girl to assist with the children. Apply 121 Fort St. sep27-1w

WANTED.—A girl about fourteen years of age (14), to look after one child. Apply to Mrs. Bailey, Esquimalt road. sep25

WANTED.—A girl to do light work in a small family. Apply to 74 Kingston St., James Bay. sep25

WANTED.—A strong boy. Apply to J. Piercy & Co., shirt factory, Government St. s19

WANTED.—From the middle of October, a small furnished house for a year. Good situation; bathroom. No children. T. G. Shorey, 6 Bastion Square. sep18-tf

WANTED.—A Girl to do general housework. Apply at 41 View street. aug12-tf

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FOR SALE.—Wire-haired fox terrier puppies. Grand blood. Three months old. Apply at 80 Kane street.

FOR SALE.—Lots 28 and 40, Block D, subdivision of Suburban Lot XXIII, Esquimalt town. Price $700. For further information apply to T. Times office. sept

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TO LET.—A furnished front bay window room, with grate and closet. Use of bath. Address A., Times office. sep21tf

TO LET.—The rooms occupied by Dr. Fugsley, dentist, over Victoria Room, Government street. Will be vacant on the 1st of October. Apply to Wm. Denny; or E. M. Johnson, 50 Government street. sep21-1w

TO LET.—The whole or any part of a well furnished two-story cottage, 16 Young street, end of Birdcage Walk, James Bay. sep20-tf

FOR RENT.—From Aug. 1st.—The offices now occupied by the E. & N. Railway Co. in Redfern's block, 42 Government street. Apply to C. E. Redfern on the premises. jy26

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Tract No. 1.—Commencing at the southwest corner of lot 26; thence west 60 chains; thence south 75 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 75 chains to the place of commencement, containing 450 acres.
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MAE KING,
sep11 M. KING.

OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

Daily Meeting of the Cabinet—Legislation of Next Session—A Shuffle in the Cabinet.

Dalton McCarthy Intends Showing His Independence—The Quebec Horror.

[From our own Correspondent.]

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 21.—Since the return of the premier and the other ministers of the cabinet to the city, meetings of the council are the order of the day. Sir John Macdonald is present on every occasion and is as jaunty and wiry as I have ever seen him. One of the principal objects of the meetings is the cutting out of what legislation it will be necessary to introduce at the next session of parliament, which, I am informed on good authority, will meet about the middle of January. In fact, a promise to this effect was made by the premier last session of parliament, but pledges of this kind are only too often made to be broken. At any rate there is reason to believe that there is a desire on the part of the "chieftain" to carry out his promise this time, as the session will be an exciting and protracted one, were it only for the fact that it is the one prior to the last of the present parliament, which will cause our representatives to place themselves on record in Hansard on all important questions, and consequently will produce much talking. Again, there is the Jesuit question, which will be revived as it it never had been discussed before. Mr. Dalton McCarthy has promised to introduce a resolution protesting against the use of the French language in the Northwest and the abolition of the separate schools. This will provoke much discussion, it is needless to say. Quebec—a solid Quebec—will enter its protest, and neither Grit or Tory can well afford to quarrel with French Canadians on the eve of a general election. Government measures are not likely to be many, but some there must be. Taking everything into consideration the session will necessarily be nearer four than three months in length.

THE CABINET.

During the political dullness of the summer months it is customary for the correspondent, who is surrounded by a dearth of news, to go a cabinet making. When the Canadian Premier is holiday-making the reading public know that there is little chance of anything being done in the way of cabinet changes. Now, however, that he is at the post of duty it will be in perfect order to expect at any time that some changes may take place. I have already referred to the prospects of Hon. J. J. C. Abbott becoming Minister of Trade and Commerce, once the act of parliament which creates the position is taken advantage of and a cabinet shuffle takes place. In the same connection Mr. Bowell's name has been mentioned. Hon. John Costigan will be provided with a position to give him a living for the remainder of his days, as the inland revenue and customs will be amalgamated with the Department of Trade and Commerce and the Finance Department, except what will be in charge of two controllers, who will be members of parliament, but not holding positions in the cabinet. They will in many ways resemble the under secretaries of the Imperial Parliament. New men will be appointed to these positions. There are any number of applicants. For instance there are Mr. Peter White, Mr. Landry, Kent, Mr. Patterson, Essex, Mr. Cowan, Montreal, Mr. Kirkpatrick and Dr. Ferguson, Welland, Mr. Hall, Sherbrooke, Mr. Coby and Mr. Clarke Wallace. The three best entitled to cabinet honors, or positions in the government, would be Mr. Coby, Mr. White and Mr. Patterson. Mr. Rykert, if his constituency can be opened, will go to the Senate, and Mr. Small will be made customs collector of Toronto. Sir Adolphe Caron must go, but what to do with him is a conundrum. If Hon. John Carling should retire his last resting place will be that political morgue—the Senate—where all broken down politicians are stowed away. Whoever may become Minister of Railways and Canals, it is certain that the portfolio will not fall to the lot of Mr. Chapleau. In the meantime Sir John Macdonald attends to the department.

GOING TO RESIGN.

Mr. Dalton McCarthy, who is president of the Liberal-Conservative union, intends resigning his position, so that he may assume a more independent appearance, and not in any way injure his party, when dealing with the Jesuit, French and school questions. The annual meeting of the association will be held here next session of parliament and if he does not resign before then, there will certainly be a new president. Mr. McCarthy is also president of the *Empire* Printing and Publishing Company. Indeed it was he who was instrumental in getting up this newspaper for a political organ when the *Mail* went back on the party. It is his intention, I am told, also to resign this post. With this outward display of independence the member for Simcoe doubtless imagines that he will be able to convince the people that the occasional attacks he may make on the government, and the numerous onslaughts he is sure to make on the opposition all emanate from an independent quarter. I am not alone in having my doubts as to the earnestness of Mr. McCarthy. A man who so blindly followed and so servilely served the present premier is not likely to have been converted so suddenly, and if his tactics are changed the reason is due to personal or political causes—personal because Sir John Thompson has found greater favor than he in the estimation of the premier; political because he imagines he can by his present course serve his party and leader best.

FOR THE WEST.

Mr. D. Gordon, V. S., and family, leave on Monday night for Victoria, B. C., where they intend to make their future home. There are few men more popular, and that deservedly so, in Ottawa than Mr. Gordon. In his profession he was acknowledged to be clever, and all who made his acquaintance learned to esteem him. As one of the Princess Louise dragoon guards he succeeded in carrying off the Governor-General's prize every year at their annual sports since the organization of the corps. A better jockey never mounted a steed. Nearly two years ago he passed all his examinations as a V. S. with honors, and since then has been practising with Dr. Coleman, of this city. Now he goes westward, carrying with him the best wishes of all who knew him.

QUEBEC'S HORROR.

The Quebec horror is the whole talk here. When it is considered that the Dominion Government were notified on several occasions by engineers of the danger of the place, the opinion is pretty general that they are not wholly guiltless for the fearful catastrophe. That, however, will be cold comfort for the bereaved. SLABTOWN.

—Winnipeg *Sun*: The announcement that James McGeer, ex member of the Winnipeg police, is about to enter an aldermanic contest at Vancouver, is considered by the police department here one of the best jokes of the season.

Arrived.

Bass XXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

THE COWICHAN SHOW.

The Annual District Competition in Agricultural Products.

The Cowichan fair, as stated in Saturday's TIMES was fairly successful both from point of exhibits and the number of visitors present. Considering the dryness of the past season, roots and cereals were better than could be expected. The samples, however, that were shown came principally from the flats, where the lack of rain during the summer was not felt so severely as on the higher lands. The growth here did not appear to be much behind what it was in previous years. The show of fruit was very fine. The district has always been noted for its adaptability for fruit growing and this year the crop was nothing behind former years. Several apples were shown, three of which weighed five pounds. All kinds of fruits were well represented and they were decided the best feature of the show.

The outside exhibits, while considerably larger than previous years did not show such a decided improvement in quality. Some good animals were shown and as in the case of all fairs, some of a more or less mediocre character. In one or two cases greater care in preparing the animals for show purposes would have probably won the prizes for them in their class. The poultry show was quite good, Mr. Flett, who was the principal exhibitor, showing some fine birds.

The speeding of horses and hurdle jumping, was a very pleasing variation to the day's proceedings. The efforts of the riders to get their mounts to jump the hurdles and the ludicrous attempts of the clown horse, which succeeded in knocking everything down, created great amusement. Considering the character of the ground and the kind of hurdles used the exhibition was very good.

The day's proceedings were brought to a close by a dance, which was commenced as soon as the hall could be cleared for the purpose. Dancing was kept up until the train left for Victoria at eight o'clock.

Among those who visited the grounds during the day were Judge Drake, Misses Drake, Attorney-General Davie, Dr. Milne, Jas. Tolmie, M. P. P., Misses Tolmie, Dr. Duncan, J. C. Prevost, M. T. Johnstone, B. Gordon, Capt. Jones, and others.

Quamichan hotel attended well to the wants of the inner man during the day as did also Beaumont's. Following is the

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES.

Brood mare with foal at foot: 1st Jas. Habart, 2nd F. Leathers.
Saddle pony 14 hands or under: 1st M. T. Johnson, 2nd W. P. Jaynes.
Three year old colt or filly: 1st A. Skinner, 2nd J. C. Dwyer.
Two year old colt or filly: 1st G. T. Corfield, 2nd G. T. Corfield.
Yearling colt or filly: 1st W. F. Jaynes.
Hardie jumper: 1st W. H. Elkington, 2nd J. C. McKenzie.

CATTLE.

Thoroughbred short horn bull: 1st W. H. Elkington, 2nd G. T. Corfield.
Thoroughbred Jersey bull: 1st W. H. Elkington.
Grade bull: 1st W. Wilson.
Cow of any age: 1st J. S. Shopland.
Two year old heifer: 1st J. C. Prevost, 2nd G. T. Corfield.
Yearling heifer: 1st Jas. Shopland, 2nd J. C. Prevost.
Yoke of work oxen: 1st Thos. Smith, 2nd Capt. Barclay.

SHEEP.

Ram, long wool: 1st Jas. Shopland.
Ram, short wool: 1st James Shopland.
Three ewes, short wool: 1st W. H. Lomas.

PIGS.

Boar of any age: 1st J. Shopland, 2nd J. T. Porter.
Brood sow in farrow at the meeting, or that has been so within six months: 1st Jas. Shopland.

FIELD PRODUCE—GRAIN.

Bushel of spring wheat: 1st W. Duncan.
Bushel of fall wheat: 1st J. Menzies.
Bushel of barley: 1st J. Shopland, 2nd M. Edgson.
Bushel of oats: 1st S. Evans, 2nd R. M. Morrison.
Bushel of field peas: 1st J. Menzies, 2nd M. Edgson.
Twelve ears of Indian corn: 1st C. Price, 2nd A. Pimbury.
Collection of grain, not less than three varieties, one bushel each: 1st H. O. Welburn, 2nd M. Edgson.

ROOTS.

Six Swedish turnips: 1st M. T. Johnson, 2nd W. H. Lomas.
Six turnips, any other kind: 1st W. Chisholm.
Six mangold wurtzels, long red: 1st G. T. Corfield, 2nd R. S. Cargill.
Six mangold, yellow globe: 1st H. Bonsall, 2nd W. H. Lomas.
Twelve carrots, Belgian: 1st A. Pimbury, 2nd G. T. Corfield.
Twelve carrots, long red: 1st H. T. Castly.
Twelve carrots, any other kind: 1st M. T. Johnson, 2nd A. Pimbury.
Fourteen pounds potatoes, early: 1st R. M. Morrison, 2nd E. Pimbury.
Three Prairie potatoes, fourteen pounds each: 1st G. T. Corfield, 2nd M. Edgson.

VEGETABLES.

Twelve onions: 1st R. Dobson, 2nd W. C. Duncan.
Quart shallot: 1st J. Menzies, 2nd J. Menzies.
Two drumhead cabbage: 1st A. Pimbury, 2nd W. H. Lomas.
Two cabbage, any other kind: 1st A. Pimbury, 2nd A. Pimbury.
Two red cabbage: 1st A Pimbury, 2nd C. Price.
Twelve early horn carrots: 1st A Pimbury, 2nd S. Gibbs.
Six parsnips: 1st A. Pimbury, 2nd G. T. Corfield.
Six beets: 1st A. Pimbury, 2nd H. O. Welburn.
Two cucumbers: 1st W. H. Lomas, 2nd W. Wilson.
Two vegetable marrows: 1st C. Price, 2nd A. Pimbury.
Two squashes: 1st G. T. Corfield, 2nd F. H. Maitland.
Six tomatoes: 1st H. O. Welburn, 2nd W. Wilson.
Collection of garden vegetables: 1st A. Pimbury, 2nd W. Wilson.

FRUITS.

Collection of apples: 1st G. T. Corfield.
Twelve apples, autumn: 1st P. Roberts, 2nd G. T. Corfield.
Twelve apples, winter: 1st W. Beaumont, 2nd E. Musgrave.
Twelve pears, winter: 1st A. Pimbury, 2nd W. C. Duncan.
Quart plums: 1st W. C. Duncan.
Twelve peaches: 1st A. Blythe, 2nd D. Alexander.
Twelve quinces: 1st P. Roberts, 2nd P. Roberts
Two watermelons: 1st H. F. Castley, 2nd A. Pimbury.
Two muskmelons: 1st W. C. Duncan, 2nd W. Lomas.
Two citron melons: 1st S. Gillies, 2nd C. Price

POULTRY.

Turkeys, hen and cock: 1st J. C. Dwyer, 2nd J. S. Shopland.
Geese, two geese and one gander: 1st James Flett.
Ducks, two ducks and one drake: 1st F. H. Maitland, 2nd Jos. McDonald.
Fowls, Leghorn, two hens and one cock: 1st Jas. Flett, 2nd Jas. Flett.
Fowls, Spanish, two hens and one cock: 1st W. C. Duncan.
Fowls, Plymouth Rock, two hens and one cock: 1st Jas Flett, 2nd J. C. Dwyer.
Fowls any other kind, two hens and one cock: 1st H. B. Harrison, 2nd James Flett.
Heariest dozen eggs: 1st R. M. Morrison, 2nd W. C. Duncan.

DAIRY.

Four pounds fresh butter: 1st Mrs. J. Evans, 2nd Mrs. S. Gibbs, 3rd Mrs. A. Blythe.
Ten pounds salt butter, (2 pound rolls): 1st Mrs. H. Bowsell, 2nd Miss Edgson.

LADIES' PRIZES.

Quilt, patchwork: 1st Mrs. Rowbotham, 2nd Mrs. Spence.
Quilt, knitted or crochet: 1st Mrs. Ordano.
Knitted socks or stockings: 1st W. Wilson, 2nd A. Ordano.
Mits or gloves: 1st Mrs Maitland Dougall, Fancy needlework: 1st Mrs. Fisher, 2nd Mrs. Dougall. Mrs. Spence highly complimented.
Crochet work, wool: 1st Mrs. Fisher.
Crochet work, cotton: 1st Mrs. Fisher.
Tatting: 1st Mrs. L. Robotham
Loaf bread: 1st Mrs. Gibb, 2nd Mrs. J. C. Prevost.
Bottle home made wine: 1st Mrs. W. Wilson
Pot of jelly: 1st Mrs. Good
Pot of currant jam: 1st Mrs. Rowbotham.
Pot of gooseberry jam: 1st Mrs. Duncan.
Pot of plum jam: Mrs Lomas.
Pot of any other kind of jam: 1st Mrs. Robotham.
Bouquet of flowers: 1st Mrs. Roberts.
Arranged basket or vase: 1st Mrs Roberts.

PRIZES FOR GIRLS UNDER 14 YEARS.

Fancy Needlework: 1st Miss Prevost.
Plain needlework: 1st Miss Kingston.
Pencil drawing: 1st Miss Nettie Marvin.

Elegant New Dining Cars.

Will run daily, commencing Aug. 22nd over the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co., Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific Ry., between Portland and Missouri River. The cuisine and service are unexcelled.

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

The Congress of the American States at Washington: Tascott Again.

The Paris Exposition Awards—Natalie at Belgrade—Still Falling.

[By Postal Telegraph.]

Liverpool, Sept. 30.—The corner in cotton, caused by manipulations of the Anglo-Danish speculator Standstrand, completely collapsed to-day. The bulls discovered this morning that Standstrand was selling and down went the price of future cotton. The arrival of several cargoes from the United States at the end of the week and the prospective closing of cotton mills in Blackburn, Helton and Manchester, were too much for Standstrand, and he began to unload early.

ALL INDICTED.

New York, Sept. 30.—The grand jury to-day handed in an indictment for perjury and conspiracy in the notorious Flack divorce case, against Sheriff Flack, Will Flack, Mrs. Raymond, Judge Monelle, and George A. Hart.

C. P. R. FINANCES.

London, Sept. 30.—The Canadian Pacific applied to-day for quotations of £449,000 subscribed stock in lieu of the same amount of bonds.

NATALIE IN FAVOR.

Belgrade, Sept. 30.—It is estimated that 50,000 persons greeted ex-Queen Natalie. She had a veritable triumphal progress through the streets, and at her residence afterwards she was obliged to appear on the balcony in response to the plaudits of the crowd. The Russian minister and all members of the embassy visited the ex-Queen; meanwhile the palace gates were closed and guarded by troops, the government fearing a popular revolt.

VISITING NATALIE.

Belgrade, Sept. 30—Queen Natalie visited the King, her son, to-day. Diplomatic representatives of all foreign powers, except Germany and Turkey, have called upon the Queen.

THE REAL CAUSE.

Rome, Sept. 30.—The ugly rumors current here with regard to the death of Cardinal Schenffius, have been finally allayed. It was reported he had been poisoned by physicians who attended him in his last illness, but these formally certified that he died from an attack of acute gastro-enteritis.

THAT FATAL DRINK.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—The coroner's jury, holding the inquest on the bodies of the wreck on the Rock Island railway at Englewood, returned a verdict to-night, holding Engineer Twombly and Fireman Lockosh responsible for the accident and the result and loss of life. Both are under arrest. Fireman Lockosh confesses that Twombly was drunk at the time of the accident.

A JEALOUS LOVER.

Baltimore, Sept. 30.—Georgie Stine, aged 19, was fatally shot to-day by her lover, John Friese. Friese had been keeping company with the girl for some time and recently visited her when intoxicated, when she discarded him. To-day in company with Robert Moore she was out walking when Friese, who had been watching, approached and asked to be taken back. She refused and he drew a revolver and fired several shots, one taking effect above her right eye and another in her breast. Moore fled, leaving the girl to the mercy of Friese, who fired at him, but missed him. Friese then fled and has not been arrested.

ENTERTAINING DELEGATES.

Washington, Sept. 30.—All the United States delegates and nearly all the foreign ones to the Congress of American States which convenes on Wednesday next, have arrived here. The delegates are quartered at the principal hotels and spent to-day in driving about the city, to Arlington cemetery, the Soldiers' Home and other places of note. To-morrow they go to Mount Vernon. On Tuesday the United States delegates will meet at the State Department to organize and receive instructions from Secretary Blaine. On Wednesday the Congress will organize, after which they will be received by the President and Secretary Blaine. That night Secretary Blaine will give a banquet at the Hotel Normandy, and on Thursday morning the delegates will start on a 45 days trip over the country.

FLOODS IN MEXICO.

City of Mexico, Sept. 30.—Reports continue to arrive in this city showing that the floods in the interior have not yet abated and that there has been a great destruction of property. The Tehuantepec railway is encountering many difficulties.

FIRE RECORD.

Caledonia, Minn., Sept. 30.—An incendiary fire that started at two o'clock this morning in the hardware store of Knute D. Dahls, destroyed the business center of this town. The loss amounts to $30,000; insurance, $16,000.

GEN. SHERMAN'S ESCAPE.

Pittsburg, Sept 30.—An express train from Cincinnati on the Panhandle road ran into a freight at Bowers station this morning. The former was running at the rate of forty miles an hour and the engine was completely wrecked. Gen. Sherman's private car was attached to the train, but he did not sustain any injury.

ANOTHER FALL.

Quebec, Sept. 30.—A large piece of rock, some four or five tons in weight, fell on Saturday from the cliff on the mountain hill, and dropping on a stone wall below flattened it to the ground for a distance of six feet.

TAKING BACK THEIR WEALTH.

Boston, Sept. 30.—A small army of Chinamen marched into Lowell to-night and clambered into a special Canadian Pacific sleeping car. There were twenty-five of them, and all are bound for China. They will reach Vancouver, B. C., in time to take the steamer Abyssinia for Hongkong. It is said that they have all the way from $600 to $9000 each. Ye Ti, one of the most intelligent among them, who is in charge of the party, is reported to be worth from $15,000 to $20,000.

EXPOSITION AWARDS.

Thousands of Medals Awarded—Remarks by Carnot and Tirard.

Paris, Sept. 30.—The exposition awards were distributed to-day at the Palais Des Industries. President Carnot thanked the governments and exhibitors who had contributed to the success of the Exposition, and expressed the hope that the Exposition would introduce an era of peace. Those who had visited it could hardly fail to have their views broadened, and the enlightenment must have an indirect effect upon the relations of all nations. Premier Tirard spoke in a similar vein. He announced 903 grand prizes and 5,153 gold medals; 9,690 silver medals; 9,323 bronze medals, and 8,070 honorable mentions.

Art Notice.

Porcelain portraits of all sizes enlarged from photos. Have your orders left with George Bigger, 86 Government street. Eight different kinds of work of art.

TASCOTT REVIVED.

Stories in Circulation in Chicago About the Murder.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—A morning paper publishes a story to the effect that James Gillan, who died at the county hospital six months ago, confessed that he, with two companions, had robbed the Snell residence and murdered millionaire Snell in February, 1883. The paper also stated that Gillan made the statement to a certain attorney, whom he wanted to defend him in the event of his arrest, giving a full account of the crime and his connection with it. The story intimates that Tascott was a party to the crime.

Another morning paper published a story to the effect that Tascott, after Snell's murder, remained in hiding in the family of a friend here for a year, when disguised as a female he was taken as a domestic to California, where he died.

CRIMINAL LIBEL.

A Charge Against an Official of the Indian Department.

David Sim, on complaint of Hamilton Moffatt, chief clerk in the Indian office in this city was charged in the police court this morning with "contriving and unlawfully, wickedly and maliciously intending to injure, vilify and prejudice him, the said Hamilton Moffatt, and to deprive him of his good name, fame credit and reputation and to bring him into public contempt, scandal infamy and disgrace on the 17th day of July, 1889, and unlawfully wickedly and maliciously did write and publish a false scandalous malicious and defamatory libel in the form of a letter to the Honorable Superintendent of Indian affairs, Ottawa" of which the following is a copy:

VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND
17th July, 1889

To the Honorable the Superintendent of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont.

SIR:—I beg leave to call your attention to a circumstance connected with the administration of Indian affairs at this place, which has been going on for some time and I think with some consideration and requires to be put a stop to. The orders for seeds for the use of the Indians, is issued from the Indian office, to a seedsman in Victoria, called George Jay, who pays bonuses to the officers for these orders amounting to something considerable each year, a portion of which comes directly out of my pocket, and I am not able to afford it. These seed orders are made up in small packets of given size and weight and the quality is 20 per cent. sound, and the other four-fifths may be and is anything in most instances, (this I know because I do the testing of it, and 20 per cent. sound seeds is the quantity required). That is not all, but these seeds being disbursed to the Indians, instead of being sown are sold, in many instances, and for a mere trifle, very often a little whiskey, and I am informed that George Jay, who supplies the seeds to the Indian office, buys about these seed packets from the Indians in the vicinity of Victoria at ten cents the dozen packets, and sells them again to the Indian office the next year. Now, I think, sir, you will see the necessity of putting a stop to such dishonesty and which might be the means of preventing others from pursuing a similar course, which I am afraid is too common in this place. The officers who receive bonuses referred to, above letter, are Dr. Powell, value about $150, and Mr. Moffatt, about the same amount. I am sir,

DAVID SIM

Mr C. E. Pooley, Q. C., appeared for the prosecution and Mr. J. P. Walls for the defence.

Hamilton Moffatt, the complainant was called and deposed that he was superintendey clerk in the Indian department, he did not know the defendant. Recognized the letter produced. It was handed him by Mr. Van Koughnat, deputy superintendent Indian affairs, on the 23rd August last. He had been requested to report upon that letter. He was the person mentioned in the letter. All official letters go through the hands of Mr. Van Kougnet at Ottawa. Mr. Dewdney while here, saw the letter. He had permission from the Minister of the Interior and Superintendent of Indian Affairs, to use the letter in any way he wished.

Mr. Walls, for the defence objected to the letter being read, on the ground that the writing across the face initialed "E D" rendered it inadmissable.

The objection was noted and the letter (a copy of which is given above, with the exception of the writing across the face) was read.

To Mr. Walls—The endorsement was made on the day before Mr. Dewdney left Victoria. He saw Mr. Dewdney write the endorsement.

Arthur F. Linxton deposed that he was clerk to Mr. Pooley. Recognized letter produced, marked A. Knew the defendant, David Sim. Saw him read the letter. Mr. Pooley, in his presence, asked him if that was the letter he wrote to the Indian Department, Ottawa. Mr. Sim said it was, and that it was all correct. Mr. Pooley asked Sim what he had to say about it and Sim replied, "Yes, it's all correct. Mr. Walls has all the facts."

To Mr. Walls—Defendant came to Mr. Pooley's office at his (Mr. Pooley's) request. Mr. Pooley made no suggestion to the defendant. A letter was sent from the office. Did not know the contents of the letter. Defendant was not asked to make any retraction or apology.

George Jay deposed that he was a seed merchant, and knew the defendant. The signature on the letter produced was that of David Sim; it is in his handwriting.

William Savory deposed that he was a cider maker and knew the defendant, Mr. Sim. The handwriting in the letter shown was that of David Sim. He told witness on the 19th July last that he was going to write to the Superintendent of Indian Affairs at Ottawa, because Mr. Jay had been selling bad seeds to the Indians.

This closed the evidence and Mr. Walls submitted that the letter was a privileged communication, and therefore not libelous, and His Honor adjourned the case until Friday, bail being allowed defendant.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. R. Richards, Q. C.)

An Indian drunk was the solitary occupant of the dock this morning, and he received the regulation fine.

The King Tye nuisance case was taken up, Leong Yung, the representative of the King Tye Co., having been summoned to answer to a charge of creating a nuisance by depositing decayed vegetables, some rotten potatoes—on Finlayson's bridge, Government street.

After hearing the evidence of Sanitary Officer Bailey and noting objections made by defendant's counsel, Mr. Fell, the case was again adjourned until to-morrow to allow his honor to look into it.

Ah Sing, on remand, charged with the larceny of a stereoscope and views from the Oriental Hotel, was sent down for one month.

Hams, Hams.

New smoked hams, breakfast bacon, spice rolls, etc., at the Yorkshire Market. Prices the lowest in the city. Aninspection invited. jy29-1m

The Pianoforte.

Miss Laura M. Adams, teacher of pianoforte, 34 Cadboro Bay road.

THE TIMES' SPECIALS.

Identity of the Man Shot by the Hamilton Policeman Established.

Very Important Medical Testimony—Verdict in the Quebec Slide Case.

[Special to THE TIMES.]

Winnipeg, Sept. 30—Lord Stanley received addresses and receptions at every station of prominence on the Manitoba & Northwestern railway, returning to Portage la Prairie on Saturday evening. The party leaves there to-day for Brandon and the west.

RAN INTO A KNIFE.

Chatham, Ont., Sept. 30.—Gustavus Park, charged with the murder of Frank Barr, has been released in $4000 bail. Medical testimony, which indicated that the deceased must have ran against the knife held by Park, caused the jury to disagree. Both were under 20 years of age.

BRILLIANT LACROSSE.

Montreal, Sept. 30.—The Shamrock and Toronto lacrosse clubs played a sharp and short championship game to-day, which abounded with brilliant plays. Six games were played in 44½ minutes, four of which were taken by the Shamrocks.

HIS IDENTITY DISCOVERED.

Hamilton, Sept. 30.—The mysterious stranger who was shot by Constable Hawkins has been identified as Jas. Douglas, a farmer living near Streetsville, and worth $16,000. He left home six weeks ago on a pleasure trip and nothing was heard of him until the account of his death and description appeared in the papers.

VERDICT ON THE QUEBEC SLIDE.

Quebec, Sept. 30.—An inquest into the cause of the death of the victims in the recent disaster here closed Saturday. The verdict was "that their deaths were the result of gross and culpable negligence on the part of several officers of the Dominion in not building the fortresses as recommended by the city engineer in 1860."

JESUITS VS. MAIL.

Montreal, Sept. 30—The case of the Jesuits against the *Mail* has been postponed till November 15th, and the judges have taken one point *en delibre* whether certain portion of the defendant's allegations should be struck out which plaintiffs held were irrelevant.

THE CAPITAL.

Judge Bole on His Way Home—A Freezing Out Game.

[Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, Sept 30.—Judge Bole left on Saturday for home.

The appointment of County Court judges appears in the last *Gazette*.

It is understood here that the St. Paul & Manitoba railway are trying to secure the franchise of the Northwestern, with a view to reaching the anthracite coal fields at Canmore, controlled by St. Paul capitalists, for the purpose of shutting out the Galt mine at Lethbridge and the Stewart mine at Banff.

MR. AND MRS. FOSTER.

They Have Returned to Ottawa After a Pleasant Honeymoon.

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—Minister of Finance Foster, with his bride, nee Mrs. Chisholm, the validity of whose marriage with Foster has been questioned, has returned to Ottawa after a honeymoon of several weeks. Notwithstanding the fact that the matter is sure to be brought up in parliament, the couple appear to enjoy the world as if no cloud hung over them. It is stated that Foster, before he makes his annual budget speech in parliament, will introduce a bill making, as a special, his marriage with Mrs. Chisholm legal. As to the validity of the marriage there is a diversity of opinion. So far Mr. and Mrs. Foster have not been ostracised from Canadian society. Their future social status, however, will depend upon what action Lord Stanley, as governor-general, takes when the festivities at the government house open here in December.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

B. Stapleton, of Inverness, Skeena river, came down this morning on the steam schooner Lakme.

Prof. Sharpe, the pianist, went over to the Sound this morning for the benefit of his health. If he returns alone rumor says some will be disappointed.

Mrs. Powell is at present visiting Mrs. W. E. Gravely, of Vancouver.

His Honor Lieut.-Governor Nelson and Miss Nelson will leave for New Westminster in a day or so and remain during the exhibition.

E. W. Purdy, of Whatcom, came over on Saturday to visit close personal friends.

Mrs. Beanlands returned on Saturday evening from a visit to friends in Vancouver.

C. E. Cran and wife, of Boston, arrived in the city on Saturday. Mr. Cran is one of the leading merchants of the Hub.

W. Collister returned from a trip to Comox yesterday.

C. R. King came down from Comox yesterday.

D. M. Eberts has returned from the Clinton assizes.

G. A. Carleton, the popular C. P. N. official, returned on the Walla Walla from San Francisco, whither he was on a pleasure trip, the first in six years.

Chas. Bush, one of the best provincial scullers, leaves in the morning for New Westminster to compete in the races.

F. C. Innes and wife, B. Springer, and J. M. Spitzka return to their mainland homes in the morning.

W. J. Raymond, special correspondent of the Montreal *Herald*, returns east in the morning.

Joseph Dwyer, wife and daughter left for Portland this morning. Miss Kerg and Mrs Lang accompanied them.

Rev. G. H. Morden, Methodist minister at Wellington, left there to day for a three weeks' trip to California.

James Harvey, jr., has left for Trinity College to complete his studies.

W. E. Osterhout, who has been ill for the past six weeks, is again about.

J. S. Chase, the well-known capitalist, came over from Seattle on Friday and will spend a few days in the city.

James and William Robb, of Comox, arrived down yesterday.

The Hitch Trade.

The best evidence of the increasing growth of the city of Victoria is to be found in the fact that in 1881 Mr. Luke Humber moulded with his own hands the whole of the bricks that were made in this city during that year, numbering about 300,000, while the number of bricks turned out during the making season just closed run up to some 9,000,000, a large proportion of which have been put into buildings in and about town.

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JURIES.

The British American Citizen, anent the CRONIN case, is moved to remark that in this age of "wonderful invention why inducements are not held out to such men as EDISON and BELL to turn their faculties towards matters of social, political and national import, apart from the realm of mechanics." The Citizen is of the opinion that men of such inventive minds might invent a new system of trial by jury. "Lawmakers," says the Citizen, "have made a failure of it. Why not machine makers attempt it?" The CRONIN case is a good exemplification of the defects of the jury system, and may be epitomised thus. If a man is intelligent, he cannot be accepted, that is if he has read the newspapers, and if he uses his reason to any extent. If a man has a conscience he cannot be accepted, that is if he is prejudiced against the Clan-na-Gael and its methods. If he be an American, the lawyers for the defence will not accept him; neither will they accept a British American or German. If a man be a Roman Catholic the prosecution will not accept him as the men on trial are Roman Catholics. If a man is opposed to capital punishment he will not be accepted. Admitting the sufficiency of these reasons as disqualifying a man to serve as a juror, where are jurors to come from? No one wants to see innocent men suffer, but if a man's religious opinions and political leanings are disqualifications for the jurorship how shall juries be secured? The more we study this question and the more we are brought face to face with the fact that religion and politics do bias the mind, we think we discover in the summary proceedings of past ages, when the thumb-screw was used to extort evidence, and when star chambers controlled the liberties of people, some strongly extenuating circumstances. But if the present jury system should be modified, how is it to be done? Luminous and acute minds have foreborne to offer a substitute for the present jury system, and hence for us to offer any suggestions would be presumptious indeed. If, however, a change is made, we venture to say that it will take the form of professional juryes, universalists by religion and cosmopolitan by politics. They will have to forego all knowledge of contemporary events, which means that they must immure themselves as in a monastery and abjure the daily press. They would require to be in charge of the state and closely guarded. They must, in a word, deny themselves all knowledge of what is going around them. It is only by such unnatural conditions as these that we can have the ideal jury. But the CRONIN case, whichever way it may be settled, will prove a valuable lesson. All men will be impressed with the necessity of jury reform, and out of the thousands of minds which will revolve the problem over some one of them may hit upon the very thing that is wanted. Further, conspirators and malcontents generally will begin to understand that turning liberty into license is a dangerous practice in a free country, for if the law cannot reach them the vigilantes infallibly will.

DIVORCE.

A question which for delicacy of handling is the peer of the jury system, is the divorce law, a subject now being mooted, and which Canadians approach with ill concealed but just diffidence. There is no reason, however, why Canadians should be squeamish over the matter. It is a society phase which must be met, and nothing is to be gained by delay; furthermore, as an incentive to agitation in the matter two eminent Canadian jurists, Judge ARMOUR and Sir WILLIAM RITCHIE have expressed the opinion that a divorce court should be established. It is desirable, of course, that the impediments to divorce should be many. When it is understood that divorce is difficult to obtain, the tendency to marry in haste and repent at leisure is minimized. It is utterly impossible, however, among the best intentioned, that they should always find themselves mated as well as matched, and manifestly the conditions which compels a married couple to live a cat-and-dog life fails of its purpose. It is too well known to require remark, that it has been owing to ecclesiastical interference that no divorce court has been established in Canada. Ecclesiastical opposition to such a court springs from very excellent motives, but church dictum in this as in prohibition makes no allowance for men and women who are incorrigible in their prejudices and their habits. But spiritual influences have ceased to operate as a direct restraint to the

ers working 1000 tea gardens, these covering an area of 250,000 acres. severance of the nuptial tie at the expense of domestic harmony. People have gradually come to believe that heaven intended them to be the referees of their own happiness, and experience shows that if the legal means are lacking at home they have as a last resort the method of Mrs. FOSTER. The Week, commenting on the alleged utterances of Justices ARMOUR and RITCHIE, remarks that the "unfitness of the senate, whose functions are political, to deal with cases often demanding in an eminent degree the best professional acumen in determining the value of evidence, has often been pointed out, and seems, indeed, too obvious to need argument." A lesser journalistic light, hopes "that our contemporaries of the press and our members of parliament will not prove mealy mouthed, but will join in a demand to bring home the measure of justice known as a divorce court to those whose lives have been made a period of slavery and a hell in the absence of it."

TEA.

The general impression prevails that the tea supply of the world is obtained from China. This, however, is an error. In 1864, China supplied 97 per cent and India 3 per cent., while in the year 1888 China stood at 43 per cent. and India 57 per cent., and the impression is growing that the time is not far distant when China tea will not be required at all. The difficulty the Chinese tea raiser lies under, is the export tax of four cents a pound levied by his government, and so to compete successfully against the Anglo-Indian tea raiser, he must lower the quality of his product. The history of the Assam Tea Co. is interesting. The shares of this company, which now command an enormous premium, at one time could have been had at almost as a gift, so hopeless seemed the task of ousting the Chinaman in his specialty. The tea plant was discovered growing wild in Assam, in the year 1821, and in 1834 the Indian government caused experiments to be made by bringing plants from China and cultivating them at Luckimpore. Although this experiment proved a theoretical success, it was not until 1854 that anything like tea plantations were opened up. Some grew the indigenous bush and others the transplanted article, and the result of this proximity was the Assam hybrid, a hardy shrub now most used in cultivation. There are now in the province of Assam alone 300,000 imported labor. But Assam is only one of the tea-growing localities. There are four other places where tea is raised, and in fact it appears that the tea-growing possibilities of India are of immense scope. But the Chinese, it is said, are waking up. Finding that they cannot compete by the old methods they are preparing the construction of railways, and possibly steps will be taken to mitigate the export tax. The impression, however, prevails that British India has now too much of a start to be outdone by the Celestial Empire as a tea-exporting country.

FRENCH AND ENGLISH.

As to the particular difficulty which prevents the English from understanding art as opposed to the French, PHILIP GILBERT HAMILTON has to say that it is owing to the "extreme energy and activity" of the moral sense of the former. Englishmen, says Mr. HAMILTON, "have a sort of moral hunger which tries to satisfy itself in and out of season." "The teaching of their most celebrated art critic, JOHN RUSKIN, was joyfully accepted by the English because it seemed for the first time to place art upon a substantial moral foundation, making truth, industry, conscientiousness, its cardinal virtues. The English imagined for a time that they had subordinated the fine arts to their own dominant moral instincts. Painting was to abandon all tricks and become truthful. It was to represent truths as they really occurred, and not so as to make the best pictures, a sacrifice of art to veracity, that pleased the innermost British conscience. Again, it was assumed that mere toil in the accurate representation of details was in itself a merit, because industry is meritorious in commonplace occupations. In short, all virtues were placed before art itself, which in reality is but accidentally connected with them. The feebler moral sense of the Parisian mind, and its less passionate affection for nature, here left it more disengaged, more at liberty to accept art on its own account, as art and nothing more. There is a kind of Paganism which is able to rest content without deep moral problems, and to accept with satisfaction what art has to give, without asking for that it cannot give. The final word on the subject may be that there is a diversity of ideals, that the English ideal (speaking generally) is moral, and the Parisian ideal is artistic."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A Mohammedan mosque has been built in Woking, Eng., and a Buddhist temple has been opened in Paris. There are about three hundred Buddhists in Paris.

The London Truth understands that the Royal staghounds will be abolished after next season, and the hunting establishment at Ascot broken up. It is estimated that the abolishment of these establishments will save the Queen £15,000 a year.

The cigarette has advanced to the dignity of being an element of debate in the British parliament. Mr. GOSCHEN said in his last budget that in his opinion the increased toying with the cigarette after dinner was partially accountable for the decreased consumption of wine. Men smoke more and drink less.

Another woman who used arsenic for the complexion, as Mrs. MAYBRICK did, was Miss CHAUSCEY, of Columbus, O., and she had that same handsome appearance of glowing health. Her drug was a mixture of arsenic and nitrate of silver, and then she foolishly went to the sulphur springs and took baths. The sulphur decomposed the silver salts in her skin, and turned her so black that she has gone into retirement and will not be seen again for a year.

The Australian government is building a fence of wire-netting eight thousand miles long to divide New South Wales and Queensland, in order to keep the rabbits out of the latter country. Australia is paying no less than one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars per year to keep the pests down in what are known as crown lands. The offer is still kept up of one hundred thousand dollars to any man who will produce something that will exterminate the pests.

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James Crawford,	F Curry,
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Thos Bamford,	Rowland Brittain,
John Allan,	Andrew Kirk,
James Lyon,	Edward Culp,
James Mansell,	Robert K Law,
Robert Chadwick,	Edward Williams,
Alexander McLaren,	William Lodge,
Alfred Blake,	Robert Clarke,
George Mann,	John M Read,
Matt F Johnston,	Robert Heron,
H P Mann,	T Harman,
Wm Benstock,	John Colbert,
Hy Jewell,	Hugh Calwell,
J B Sere,	Stephen Jones,
W Harrison,	D D Moser,
Wm Croft,	H B Rendell,
J J Randolph,	W F Archibald,
Geo Kirkhopp,	James Doughty, jr
G Doughty,	Geo Jacques,
Geo Thomson,	J Hawkins,
G Bishop,	Geo Jay,
W C Byrd,	Wm Daily,
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A Dallery,	Wm Field,
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H A Butler,	W J Lodingham,
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D F Fee, jr,	John Cox,
Hy Noble,	A Croghan,
Frank Sylvester,	H Courtney,
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A C Howe,	J R Collister,
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AMOUNT PROPOSED FOR ASSURANCE during the year 1888 (3579 Proposals)	$9,125,554.60
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1888 (for which 2972 Policies were issued)	$7,282,205.07
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1888	$281,964 95
CLAIMS UNDER POLICIES during the year 1888, inclusive of Bonus Additions	$2,867,352.40
AMOUNT OF POLICIES ISSUED during the last five years	$21,313,145 60
SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November 1888 (of which $5,822,660.00 is Re-assured with other offices	$101,258,149.14
ACCUMULATED FUNDS,	$34,619,523 27
ANNUAL REVENUE,	$4,525,703.13

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership existing between Carl A. Lundberg and Noel J. Becar, under the name and firm of Lundberg & Becar, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Claims against the partnership may be filed with Morris Moss, Johnson street; or with A. L. Belyea, 9 Bastion Square, Victoria, solicitor for the undersigned.

NOEL J. BECAR.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 23rd, 1889. sep24-1w

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A BY-LAW

To amend the "Water Commissioner By-Law, 1887."

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the "Water Commissioner By-Law, 1887,"

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That section 4 of the said By-Law is hereby amended by striking out the words "one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month" in the third and fourth lines thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred and fifty dollars per month."

This By-law may be cited as the "Water Commissioner Amendment By-Law, 1889.

Passed the Municipal Council the 4th day of September, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 11th day of September, A. D. 1889.

[L. S.] JOHN GRANT,
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WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY CERTIFY that we desire to form, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1878," (Provincial), and amending Acts, a Company as hereinafter mentioned.

1. The corporate name of the Company shall be "The Pacific Shoe and Leather Company, Limited Liability."

2. The objects for which the Company is formed are:—To conduct a general tanning, leather, boot and shoe manufacturing business, and to carry on a general trading business, and to purchase and hold and sell real and personal estate for the purposes of the Company, and generally the doing of such acts as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects of the Company.

3. The amount of the capital stock of the Company shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

4. The time of the existence of the Company shall be thirty years.

5. The number of the Trustees shall be three, and their names are William Smyth, Stephen Fulton McIntosh, and Arthur Heathorn, who shall manage the affairs for the first three months.

6. The principal place of business of the Company shall be in the City of Victoria.

7. A stockholder shall not be individually liable for the debts or liabilities of the Company, but the liability of a stockholder shall be limited to his proportion (based upon the amount of his respective shares) to assessments legally levied, and the charges thereon, if advertised as delinquent during the time that he is a shareholder, upon a share or shares of which he is the holder, as shown by the stockholders' register book of the Company, assessments and charges thereon, when taken collectively, shall not exceed in the aggregate the value in dollars printed or shown upon each share when issued.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals at the City of Victoria aforesaid, the 12th day of August, A. D. 1889.

WM. SMYTH.
S. F. McINTOSH.
A. HEATHORN.

Signed, sealed, and delivered and acknowledged by the said William Smyth, Stephen Fulton McIntosh and Arthur Heathorn in the presence of H. DALLAS HELMCKEN,
Notary Public, B. C.

Filed (in duplicate) 19th August, 1889.
C. J. LEGGATT,
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GITWINTHGUL JIM.

An Indian Tragedy.

Written for THE TIMES.]

Very strange was the spectacle. The people frightened, chattering, arming themselves, wailing, running from place to place. The two avengers, their hearts dignified with awe and pity, carrying the dying man down among the houses, fearless for themselves, whose lives were instantly measured, fearful for the least pains of him they had done to death. They bought freely every comfort that could ease his death bed. The people were aghast; these men had taken life and did not run away. They faced the whole village as though they were all so many children. They cared for their victim more than themselves. Indians do not understand us. Jim had thought off and on that he could laugh at and defy their enemies and aliens in the heart of his tribe, yet had he changed his facile mind once too often, and the people expected the constables to run away.

They got a canoe and poled up the river, carrying Jim towards the Mission house. The day had broken pallid and misty and a miserable grey rain was falling through the thick dark air of the valley. The canoe rested like a leaf on the ripples. The dying man lay in the midst, the others grouped about his bed, and when they were half way to the Mission Jim fell asleep.

When the constables had disposed of Jim's body for burial they made haste to escape to Hazelton overland, for they had good cause to be uneasy in the presence of the howling mob which had followed on foot to the Mission. They were not gone many hours, however, when an episode happened which must be left to themselves to tell, promising that their astute and valiant leader had arrived in this wasp's nest just as they had left its outraged populace. "After we had gone about eight miles, Washburn sent us a message to come back at once, that his life was in danger. The clootchmen who were packing for us were so frighted that they would not go back, and thinking that Washburn was on his way to Kishka-gash we were wonderfully surprised, but under the circumstances we were obliged to go on to the forks, so that same day, about six o'clock in the evening, he overtook us going to the forks, he and Loring, and asked why we left. We said that we were afraid to stop; that we had but little force and but little ammunition. When he was asked about the note he sent and how he got away alive he said that the Indians were as good as pie to him, and that he went right up to Jim and was not a bit afraid." So ended Gitwinthgul Jim's little game of brag. But events are never childless. The children of this matter are an ill brood, but not without interest.

On the 20th June the five constables with their train of packers arrived at Hazelton and were ferried across the river to the village. There were only a dozen white people to bear the weight of the storm of evil feeling that now broke out through the tribes. There could be no doubt that Jim's people would instantly be on the war path and the Hazelton Indians would join in plunder, massacre, or any other amusement at the expense of the hated race. The outlook was ghastly during the two or three days ensuing. The Hudson Bay Co.'s store was hastily but ruddily fortified, to the wonder and amusement of the village. "Are we wild beasts?" they said. Aye, that you are, when fury casts that strange veil of blindness over human eyes; and yet these good white people overlooked one element of the pending question. They had, if the bottom truth be unearthed, little cause for fear. The Indians of this region never can unite for any purpose whatsoever. So we have not to place on record the splendid terrorism that blazes up from such elements when subjected to great peril. This little group of people could have defied the wildest fury of the whole valley if they had been called upon. But Indian quarrels burn like wet wood, smoking prodigiously but rarely ablaze, and their mutual quarrels effected what no armed force could have done—the safety of Hazelton.

A gentleman happened at this time to arrive from the interior and was so impressed with the danger of the little community that he determined to go at once to Victoria and petition for help. But this was not easy; the Indians had put a stop to all traffic since the season opened and this traveler faced no little risk and difficulty. When he did reach Victoria he was closely followed by a story that the Hudson's Bay Company's officer and special constable, Green, had been killed and the local government was so impressed that in one week a battery of militia, artillery, an imperial gunboat and a party of twelve special constables under a experienced left for the Skeena. The rumor was an Indian one and a lie that told of two deaths; but if it found a little fuel among the savages it became a conflagration among the newspapers. A gentleman happened to die in the far south of British Columbia and his death was promptly added by the San Francisco press to the "Skeena outrages." The trouble of that remote mountain valley became a war; reports were copied far and wide; distinguished generals were "interviewed" and their opinions published. The local government of the province, the Liberal government of the Dominion, even the Imperial government itself, became interested in the fate of Gitwinthgul Jim. Brothers who thirst for fame, it is at your very lips! The wildest celebrity is at your back and call to be famous over the whole world. You need not be a great pugilist, or preacher or politician to have the planet ring like a bell to the sound of your name. You have but to commit an unusually atrocious crime, or die an eccentric and sensational death!

Meanwhile, on the Skeena everything was comparatively quiet; at Hazelton the alarm almost passed away when day after day passed in the busy circulation of false statements which showed a singular lack of inventiveness. At Gitsegusla the people were much disturbed, and around the person of the chaste and volatile Mrs. Jim continued to simmer small but poisonous discords. There was a strain upon the common mind, the brain of the village was disordered by Mrs. Jim's presence, and at last the pot boiled over and a man went mad. He was an unwholesome old bachelor named Tobook, living in solitude in a house opposite that of Morlaghan, the head chief.

Tobook said he was under the painful necessity of killing three men. He began by killing Mrs. Jim's father, and explained that that was only a preliminary tuning up, as it were, and that on general principles he must have three chiefs. He thought he would kill old Morlaghan first. Morlaghan sat in his own house and solemnly protested. His family found they had engagements in the country. Morlaghan had an appointment, a most pressing one, but whenever he opened the door to go out Tobook sent over two or three bullets to persuade him to stay at home. Then Morlaghan began to be hostile, and concluded that while he was head chief, Tobook was presuming on his friendship and making himself a nuisance to the whole village. So he found a suitable knot hole in the front of his house and began to explain his feelings to Tobook. Whenever Tobook appeared at the loophole to take a look, then Morlaghan had a shot; and whenever Morlaghan came to the front Tobook had a shot, and so they continued for many hours. Both were vile shots, so the amusement was no more dangerous than a modern duel. At last Tobook was a long time coming to take his shot and Morlaghan began to get uneasy. Had the old gentleman run short of ammunition? Had he gone to sleep? Was he taking some light refreshments? The chief fired two or three shots by way of a friendly challenge, and waited an hour. Then he slipped out of the house and still his neighbor was not heard from. He got very uneasy. Perhaps he was hurt? Humane old Morlaghan threw prudence to the winds, and going over the way, found Tobook's corpse prone in the ashes of the hearth clutching a gun. He was dreadfully shocked and sent at once for the constables to whom he surrendered on their arrival, and became the Queen's guest at Hazleton.

A few days after this last of the four tragic episodes in the affair, a magistrate came up the river without escort or parade, ignoring the hostility of the Indians, but making no fuss about it; and firmly, kindly, and with good humor and tact, restored the valley to perfect tranquility. Morlaghan was examined for killing Tobook and released. Green was committed for trial at Victoria. About this time the Indians were scared out of their wits by the news of a war-ship being seen coming up the Skeena, but whether the mysterious vessel in question was walking, trotting or flying did not appear. The battery of artillery camped on the Inlet for three weeks and all had a capital picnic hunting, sight seeing, fishing, pulling up stumps in camp and growling to their hearts' content. The corvette bewildered and enraptured the natives with her electric search light and a few blue lights and rockets, and the twelve special constables and their gallant officer invaded the upper valley with colors flying and wet clothes. The two weeks' poling and towing up the tumultuous Skeena was a severe trial, but on their arrival they found the work already done and nothing to prevent them from going home again. The gallant officer of police told the residents of Hazelton they had better withdraw from the valley, because it was too dangerous to live in and too remote to protect. But as British subjects they made a gallant protest against their desertion and the disgraceful act was withdrawn.

Mrs. Jim and Green now appeared as the only aggrieved parties. The lady said the white people had killed her Jim, and she wanted compensation. This compensation was to be another husband, a white man, and she didn't object to Green. Unfortunately for her new project Green ungraciously objected, a thing which Mrs. Jim had not foreseen, and he quietly preferred to be tried for murder and even hanged rather than meet the lady's views. One of our surviving characters remains inconsolable. Not so the other. Mr. Green was tried for the murder of Gitwinthgul Jim and acquitted, and the third day after the trial you will be delighted to hear that he was married and proceeded to live happily ever after.

H. R. A. POCOCK.

THE GREAT INTERIOR.

Sudden Death at Donald—Events at Kamloops and Clinton.

At a meeting of the Kamloops Temperance Society on Thursday evening, 24 adults and 16 children signed the pledge.

Three deaths and four funerals in a week opens up a new chapter in the history of Kamloops. The record this week fully emphasizes the truth of the saying: "The young may die, but the old must."

J. A. Mara, M. P., left on Monday morning for Revelstoke, from whence he proceeded with Mr. Gamble, C. E., to investigate the points on the lower Columbia where the most good can be done with the $6000 appropriation made by the federal government.

A foreigner, Emil Belmont by name, was naturalized at the Clinton Assize court, and considerable amusement was caused when the learned judge asked him if he was a Frenchman. He replied very indignantly that "he was no Frenchman, but a German."

On Thursday morning the inhabitants of Donald were thrown into a state of excitement in consequence of the very sudden death of Mr. Wily, building inspector on the Pacific division of the C. P. R. During Wednesday night he occupied an apartment behind the engineer's office, as usual, but on Thursday morning when he did not appear at the usual hour, he was called, and no answer being obtained the door was subsequently broken open, and to the amazement of those who entered the room he was found on his bed a corpse. The body was interred at Kamloops.

Messrs. W. McKenzie & Co. are still bringing men in from the east for their camps in connection with the Long Lake & Regina Railway. Fifty men arrived from Ottawa last Sunday and were camped two miles east of Donald, and fifty more were removed from Blaiberry Creek William the same day, where lumber is being cut under the superintendence of Mr. J. McKenzie.

THE GAUDAUR-TEEMER RACE.

A Technicality that was Behind the Final Decision.

Chicago Tribune.]

The Teemer-Gaudaur race was a disgrace to American sculling and a handicapped though impartial referee made it farcical, when he could have cleared up the mess, done sport a good turn and punished a corrupt gang. The telegraphic reports of the race were incorrect. Hamm did not foul Teemer and Gaudaur did outrow Teemer, fairly winning the race. The day before the race Gaudaur was "doped" by some of the Teemer gang, and it was a case of win or fight with the Pittsburgers. Hamm was on the course to protect his man. He made a mistake and violated a rule by going there, but as dopers were at work caution was necessary. The Teemer gang abused every one whose testimony ran against theirs, a disorderly mob and uncontrolled steamers interfered with the referee's view of the race, and the beaten man got his stake back on the following technicality, as explained by the referee:

"After the race I asked Hamm pointedly at McKeesport what he was doing on the course. Here's what he said: 'I was there to protect Gaudaur and keep him from striking any snags.' This admission, which was heard by everybody in the room, meant that he was absolutely violating a rule and one of the most prominent. Here is the rule. It is rule 16 of the code under which the race was rowed: 'No boat shall be allowed to accompany a competitor for the purpose of directing his course or affording him other assistance. The boat receiving such direction or assistance shall be disqualified at the discretion of the umpire.'"

Discretion should have been used by the referee, and the race given to the man who fairly won it. But one thing is clear: Teemer has rowed himself further into obscurity by his claim of foul—clearly a false one, and so decided—than if he had been beaten a dozen times. No one will be likely to seek a match with him especially on Pittsburg water.

Proposed Change of Route on C. P. R.

Judge Waikem made a few remarks at the opening of the Clinton Assizes concerning the rapid progress of the province. Among other things he said: "A civil engineer, Mr. Reid, whose word is beyond doubt, had been sent by the C. P. R. Co. to make an exploratory survey in that section of the country with a view of deciding whether the construction of a branch line from Revelstoke southward, or a new line entering the province through the Crows' Nest Pass near the American boundary line is practicable as well as advisable. It is understood that Mr. Reid had reported favorably of the adoption of either one or other of the lines, but especially of the line through the Crows' Nest Pass, which would shorten the main line to Vancouver by at least 210 miles, there being, however, but one difficulty in the way of the adoption of the Crows' Nest line, and that was that as far as could at present be seen it would have to slightly swerve into American territory at the second crossing of the Columbia river. These obstacles, however, the engineer might overcome. The enormous advantage in saving of time, of traction power, and of the cost of maintenance in favor of the lower line would, of course, be evident.

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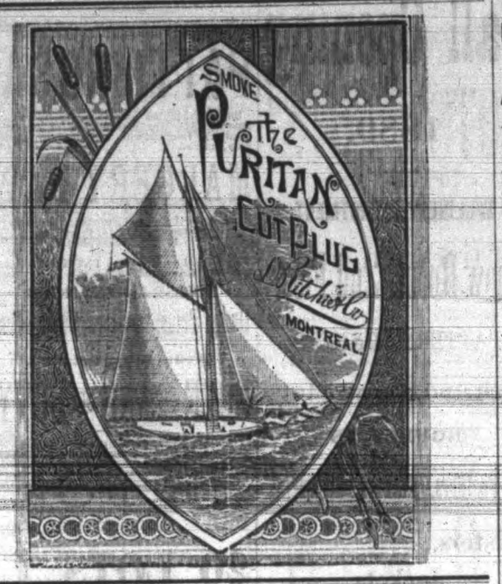

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Tuesday, 1st October, at noon, for the erection and completion of ten (10) two-storey frame residences, together with outhouses, fences, etc., on lots facing Douglas and Rae street, and Churchway.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Saturday, 21st instant, at noon, for the erection of two-storey residence facing southeast corner of Vancouver and Belloc streets.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 4 o'clock on the 17th inst., for the erection of a two-storey frame dwelling house in Victoria West.

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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will not be responsible for any debts contracted in his name without his written order after 20th June.

THOMAS MATHEWS

June 20. Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

ANY PERSON IN POSSESSION OF THE Will of the late James Ward, of Cook street, Victoria, will oblige by communicating with the undersigned.

J. ROLAND RETT

25th June, 1889. je25 Barrister-at-Law

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.), are requested to send in their claims. And all persons indebted to the said Company are requested to pay the same to

R. A. BROWN, Liquidator,

Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.)

Victoria, B. C., 4th Sept. 1889. sep4

NOTICE.

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the second of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

Victoria, 31st August, 1889. aug31

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NOTICE.

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BETWEEN

JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,

AND

JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Provost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

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SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Officers' Quarters, Victoria, B. C.," will be received until Monday, 14th October, 1889, for the several works required in the erection of Officers' Quarters, Victoria, B. C.

Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of F. C. Gamble, Esq., Victoria, B. C., on and after Monday, 23rd September, 1889, and tenders will not be considered unless made on forms supplied and signed with actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

A. GOBEIL, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 19th Sept., 1889. sep25

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Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt, 6th September, 1889. sep7

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D. FREEMAN.

August 22nd, 1889. aug22-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate in Sayward district commencing at a post on the 50th parallel of north latitude, 12 miles west of Discovery Passage; thence west 5 miles; thence north 2½ miles; thence east 5½ miles, more or less, to the western boundary of adjoining Rose & McLaren's timber lease; thence south ½ mile; thence west 1 mile; thence south 2 miles to the place of commencement. Containing 11,520 acres, more or less.

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—Ice Cream at Stolte's.

—Artistic enlarged portraits, Fleming's, Government street.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street.

—Bengough will lecture at Nanaimo on Wednesday evening.

—A large elk was shot near the Union mines, Comox, last week.

—Owing to the downpour yesterday there was no music at the park.

—The Umatilla sails for San Francisco at 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

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—The bark Lebu has utilized the "natural dock" above the harbor bridge to have her hull scraped.

—The stock and fixtures of J. Finlayson's grocery store were removed today to a Fort street grocery.

—Coal is delivered on short notice from the Rock Bay Coal Yard, A. Heathorn, agent, 53½ Johnson street.

—Sixteen blue jackets are at present confined in the provincial gaol for breaches of discipline. Their board bills are paid by the naval authorities.

—Campbell & Simpkins, No. 88 Government street, have received their fall goods. Go and see for yourselves.

—Another carload of stoves just arrived for us. A fine selection of heaters at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St.

—John T. Pierre has received his first shipment of fall and winter goods. Go and see them at No. 96 Yates street. 1m

—The "Ideal Washing Machine." Best in the market. Sent on approbation. Price $10 at McLennan & McFeely's.

—A heifer with seven legs is advertised for sale in Kamloops. The animal is said to be perfectly healthy and a good feeder.

—Schools of porpoises have passed up the straits within the last few days. An old salt says this is a sure sign of a coming gale.

—The sealing schooner Mary Deleo arrived at San Francisco last Thursday with 420 skins. The captain had nothing new to report.

—The notorious "Dan Apples" made things lively on Government street last night with his face blackened and "rats" chalked on his back.

—Upholstery worth seeing at Hastie & Lockhart's; and the prices worth enquiring into before purchasing elsewhere. 62 Government street.

—Twenty eight dozen French corsets, P. D. style, long, $1.25 to $2.75. Satin corsets, $2.75. Argyle House, Clarence block, Douglas street.

—Sideboards, hall racks, bedroom suites, carpets, mattings, &c., will be slaughtered for the next 30 days at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—The steamer Lakme passed down this morning from Skeena river, with 17,000 cases of salmon from the Balmoral and Inverness canneries. She is due in Astoria Oct. 1st.

—The young man killed at Seymour Narrows a few days ago was Jas. Colvin not "Thomas" as reported. He was a sober industrious man and a native of the Shetland Islands.

—A young man returning from the fire last night tumbled into the basement of the new building at the corner of Yates and Douglas streets. He was comparatively sober at the time.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, reed rockers, upholstery goods and house furnishings in the province at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

—The Geo. W. Elder managed to leave for Alaska early on Sunday morning with a full freight and a light passenger list. Since the loss of the Ancon, definite days of sailing seem to have become demoralized.

—A Raymond excursion party consisting of between forty and fifty ladies and gentlemen will arrive by the North Pacific this evening. They will stop over a day or two and then leave for their homes in the east.

—Don't let anyone convince you that Hastie & Lockhart have not the finest line of goods, and at prices equally as fine, until you have made a personal examination for yourselves. No. 62 Government street.

Customs Returns.

The customs collections at this port for September is about $75,000, being an increase of $10,000 over last year.

The Moulders.

The difficulties between the moulders and Mr. Ballen, manager of the Albion Iron Works, have not been removed and the men are still out. The moulders union publish a card, announcing a strike on and requesting all union moulders to remain away from Victoria. Work is still in progress in the moulding shop, but only a few men are at work.

Wanted Lodgings.

Last night, while the firemen were at the fire on Second street, and old wayfarer of the "bum" persuasion, thinking it was a pretty good chance to secure a comfortable night's lodging free of charge, walked into the Deluge house, and going to the men's sleeping apartments, proceeded to make himself comfortable. He was discovered, however, before he had thoroughly settled himself for the night, and was sent to look for a place elsewhere wherein to rest his weary head.

The Governor-General.

On account of the lateness of the season it is probable the Governor-General will be unable to remain in Victoria for more than from three to five days, so that our citizens will have to make the best use of the time when he is here.

Admiral Henecage will, in all likelihood, entertain His Excellency, on the 1st of November and it is very probable the Lieut.-Governor will claim one of the evenings for a dinner party, at which as a matter of course there will be a distinguished party.

Its Excellent Qualities

Commend to public approval the California liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, and by gently acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels it cleanses the system effectually, thereby promoting the health and comfort of all who use it.

Williams's Cities Directory 1890.

$1.25 including street Directory of Victoria. A home publication. Office 98 Broad Street. tf

Marine.

The schooner Eliza has arrived from Wellington with a cargo of coal for the Rock Bay coal yard.

The Tramway.

The National Electric Tramway company began this morning with the replanking of James Bay bridge with three-inch lumber. Grooves are cut in the planks, a little to the left of the center of the bridge from the north side, for the rails. To the right of this is ample room for vehicles, but the rails can be used for traffic.

Sad Poisoning Case.

A sad accident befel a little three-year old child of Mr. Harry Piercy, of Comox, on Friday last. The little one, it appears, while playing around the door picked up a phial containing a liquid like water and drank a portion of it. The child was immediately taken sick and died a short time afterwards. The bottle contained lye or some such severe irritant.

The Longshoremen.

The longshoremen's strike, says the Vancouver *News*, still continues, neither side being apparently willing to recede from the positions last reported. The steamship will not recognize the Union, and the longshoremen will not go back on other conditions. In the meantime the steamers are being loaded and unloaded by men brought from the Sound.

Naval.

H. M. S. Icarus and H. M. S. Acorn sailed at six o'clock this morning for New Westminster, where they will remain during the coming agricultural exhibition and contribute to their share of making the sports a success.

H. M. S. Amphion after being about ten days in the dock came out this afternoon and will go out into the straits in the morning with the Champion for big gun practice.

B. C. Exhibit.

A portion of the handsome and exhaustive exhibit that attracted so much attention at the Toronto Industrial Exhibition, says the *Empire*, is now on view in the windows of the C. P. R. offices on King street west, and should be seen by those who may, in the crush of the fair, have missed the opportunity to examine the varied assortment of fruits, vegetables and minerals that sample the wealth of far-off Columbia.

The Reason.

The young woman who recently came to this city from Toronto, with the object of marrying a well-known, full-blooded Celestial, has returned fully compensated for her long trip and the marriage is now off. The girl was accompanied by her brother, who it appears played the part of "I'll tell my big brother" with success. It is just as well that the affair terminated as it did; yet some of the knowing ones believe a marriage should have been consummated.

A Pleasure Trip.

Edouard Eiffel, son of the celebrated Eiffel of tower fame, accompanied by a young friend A. Gre, arrived in the city on Saturday night and registered at the Clarence. This morning they left by the Olympian to pursue their travels. They are recent graduates of a Paris school of engineers and are now enjoying a three months' furlough. When they return they enter the office of the great engineer, Eiffel. They had no special commission in regard to the great bridge at Quebec. When on their way through they were asked to make a report, and as a chance to earn their spurs presented itself they took up the matter.

Paid Under Protest.

Six Chinamen came down on the Islander last Saturday night, ex the Abyssinia from Hong Kong. Four had satisfactory certificates and were passed. Another had a bogus certificate issued Oct. 8th, 1886, which was probably bought in Hong Kong. The tax of $50 was accordingly collected. Another named Ah Hing paid $50 under protest. He said he had been here before, six or seven years ago, and possessed an old style certificate without a description on it. Ah Hing said he was 42 years of age but the custom house records show this certificate to have been originally issued to a Chinaman 28 years of age.

Laid at Rest.

The funeral of the late John Geddes took place yesterday afternoon with Masonic honors. Burial services of the order were conducted by Munroe Miller, and a long line of carriages containing friends of the deceased and members of the Caledonian Society followed the remains to the grave. The duties of pall bearers were performed by Messrs. P. Steele, M. McCahill, J. McArthur, A. McGregor, Mr. Johnson, and W. Shewan.

The remains of the late Martin Manning were interred this morning. At St. Andrew's Cathedral services were conducted by Rev. Father Mandart. A numerous assemblage of friends of the deceased were present as a mark of respect. The pall bearers were F. M. Dodge, Donald McKay, A. Finmore, Peter Rowland, W. Wymond and Thos. McManus.

Probably Lost.

Four young men went to Nanaimo lake on a hunting expedition a few days ago. Friday they went out on the lake, when the boat, through some unexplained accident, capsized. Dixon, Sabiston and Marshall, after a hard struggle, reached the shore, but the other man, Hugh Sowden, sank. The men say that after the boat upset they neither saw nor heard Sowden, and did not see him sink. They thought it possible he might have reached shore in another direction, but that evening and next morning not seeing anything of him they thought beyond doubt he was drowned. A search party have left Nanaimo for Nanaimo lake to find Sowden, dead or alive. Sowden was an exceptionally fine young man of 26 years of age. He took an active part in athletic sports being a member of the Nanaimo athletic and cricket clubs.

Hotel Robbery.

A young man named Henry Pedder, a carpenter, who boards at the Dominion hotel, Yates street, was relieved of $35 on Saturday night. He retired to his room somewhat early, and neglected to lock his door on retiring to bed. His money and a Savings Bank deposit check were in the pocket of his pantaloons, which were placed at the head of the bed. On arising next morning he missed his wallet and money; a search was made and the pocket-book, still containing the deposit check, was found in the hallway near the door, but the money, which consisted of gold and silver coin, had disappeared. In connection with the robbery it might be well to state that it is said there are a number of "hotel crooks" in the city at present, and these fellows make a specialty of "working" hotels and one way to baffle them is a very simple one—lock your door.

Mr. Bengough To-night.

Mr. J. W. Bengough, the famous caricaturist whose pictures have been tickling the people of the Dominion for several years past, arrived in the city Saturday evening. Mr. Bengough will lecture in the Victoria theater this evening on "People You Know," illustrating his address with his unrivalled pencil sketches. The lecturer has been abroad to-day and has met a number of "people you know" who will doubtless appear on paper to-night. Report says certain prominent citizens with equally prominent features have been dodging around the corners to-day in order not to meet *Grip's* editor. Concerning Mr. Bengough's lecture at Vancouver the *World* says: "The Imperial Opera House was crowded from pit to dome last evening on the occasion of the first lecture ever given in this city by Mr. J. W. Bengough, the famous cartoonist and editor of *Grip*. Striking as all the likenesses were, the rapidity with which they were produced was one of the features which struck the observer. As every face became known the audience applauded loudly and long."

FIRE ON SECOND STREET.

A Residence Burned Last Night to the Extent of $2000.

At 9:30 o'clock on Sunday evening, a telephone alarm was received at the fire stations, caused by a fire at Mr. Holden's residence, Second street. The firemen were on the way to the burning building in a short time, and although the distance was nearly a mile from the fire halls, they succeeded in saving a portion of the two-storey frame building, and also saved the adjoining houses. The fire was caused by Mr. Holden throwing coal oil on the grate to light a fire in the front room of the house. The blazing oil set fire to the mantelpiece and Mr. Holden rushed into the street to give the alarm. Before he could return to the room the building was on fire in several places.

A similar fire occurred in the same rooms, on the night of the fire at the Occidental hotel. Mr. Holden left the house for a few minutes and found the house on fire on his return.

The building was owned by Mr. S. Gray and was insured. The loss on building and furniture will amount to about $2000. Mr. Geo. Berridge occupied one of the adjoining houses, and the other was occupied by Mr. George Mesher, contractor. Neither of these buildings was damaged although only a few feet from the one in which the fire originated. The firemen say that it was the "dirtiest" fire they have had to fight for some time, as they were completely drenched with water by the time the fire was extinguished.

There was $1500 insurance on the building in the Hartford of Connecticut, E. M. Johnson, agent, and $1000 on the furniture in the Commercial of London, represented here by Lowenberg, Harris & Co.

FROM THE ORIENT.

The Abyssinia's Arrival—Freight and Passenger List.

The steamship Abyssinia, Capt. Lee, passed this port for Vancouver about 5 o'clock Friday evening, and after taking on Capt. Urquhart, steamed on to her destination. On reaching English Bay the vessel lay to for the night. The Abyssinia left Hong Hong on August 29, calling as usual at Amoy, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama. She was delayed at Yokohama one day on account of a thypoon, which did much damage both on land and sea whilst it lasted. The passage across was a very pleasant one, moderate weather being experienced all the way. The total steaming time was 14 days, 15 hours. Her passenger list is as follows:

Saloon—S. Akasawa, M. le Vicome de Bezaure, Madame le Vicomtesse de Bezaure, J. J. English, C. C. Georgeson, Mrs Georgeson and three children, Miss Holdredge, Dr. Jessen, Lieutenant E. Gordon Lowden and infant, J. F. Lowder, Lillye, Mrs. Lord, E. Gordon Lowder, Mrs J. F. Lowder, Capt. Ostelotky, Master Partridge, W. T. Payne, Dr. E. Ruegg, Dr. G. R. Underwood, Dr. Van der Heyden. There was one in the second-class and 81 in the steerage.

Her freight list is as follows: For Pacific coast points, 5529 packages, equal to 351 tons. For Eastern Canada, 6124 packages, equal to 510 tons. For the United States, 10,978 packages, equal to 948 tons; making a total of 22,631 packages, equivalent to 1808 tons.

VICTORIA TO YOKOHAMA.

Rev. J. W. Wadman Tells About the Voyage and Reception There.

I promised many of my friends to write them a few lines through the columns of your paper. You will grant me such a privilege as an old friend, won't you? Well, I have reached Japan and put on my "wonders." What a strange place for the stranger. First, I ought to say a word about the trip. We (there were upwards of 25 cabin passengers) left Vancouver in the good strong ship Abyssinia, July 25th, and after six hours ran sighted Victoria and as was natural felt a little twinge of homesickness. That night, on account of the thick fog, we drifted about the straits, more or less uncertain of our bearings till at last just at day dawn the officer in charge sighted Cape Flattery and by breakfast time we were steaming away 14 knots an hour, out and out and away. To sail for days and days surrounded on all sides by nothing save the great waters bounded by the blue sky line, with not a sail in sight to indicate the existence of other human beings besides ourselves, with but here and there a seagull's wing and a solitary whale's spout, becomes in time monotonous. Our fellow passengers, however, with ourselves, were bent on making the voyage as pleasant as possible, and so with a few games, much music, general conversation and one or two evening entertainments, the days went quickly by, and on Sunday, Aug. 10th, we dropped anchor in the beautiful and commodious harbor of Yokohama.

Evidently our friends (?) had expected us, for long before the ship had reached her moorings (Yokohama has as yet no dock accommodation) the ubiquitous cabby had abandoned his wheels for his paddles and was bent on meeting us at the "Ocean flood" and while yet astream "The Grand Hotel, Sir?" "The Central, Sir?" The Occidental, Sir?" were the persistent cries which greeted our ears on all sides as these brass-buttoned gentlemen sprang from their dashy little tug boats and flew up the ship's companion way. Our party, consisting of Bishop Andrews of New York and seven missionaries with their wives, was soon relegated to a tug, bag and baggage, by a committee of resident preachers, and after passing Yan, the Tide Waiters' office, situated on the Hataba, the great landing place, we were soon seated in Jinrickishas—Japan's pull-man-cars—a literal translation of the word itself. In a few moments we all started for the Bluff. Think of it, in a little bit of a two-wheeled vehicle about, I should say, four or five times larger than a baby carriage, with a hood and a pair of handles and behind the handles—neither a horse nor an ass nor an ox—but a *man*. I confess the ludicrousness of the thing so completely overcame me that no sooner did the *thing* begin to move, I was so suddenly and overwhelmingly stricken with risibility, that abandoning myself to the position I could do nothing but lay back on my seat and roar. Whatever the fellow behind the handles may have thought, I do not know, but the harder I laughed the faster he ran and while the heat of the day was something intense yet in a very few moments he had covered two miles and that, too, with the utmost apparent ease. There was one laughable incident happened on the way, that I must not forget to narrate. At a certain point our party was to be separated. Two or three of us were to go in a certain direction and the others in an opposite way. The gentleman in charge of us was doing his best to direct matters but it so happened that when the signal was given for us to move off, Dr. McGill was running off with Mr. Norton's wife and Mrs. McGill following hard after Mr. Norton. The runners had started off with their individual occupants so suddenly and rapidly that it was not until a half block had separated them did man and wife begin to realize that they were going in opposite directions, and not being able, of course, to speak one word of Japanese, and thus to direct their Jinrickisha man, it was something I shall never forget the frantic shouting and more frantic gestures on the part of these children and people. One of these spontaneous attributes of uncontrollable dismay till their dying day need these husbands and wives entertain. I feel sure one has an able doubt as to each other's conjugal fidelity. And yet where is there a man who would not shout under the circumstances? We had better not say we wouldn't—even if at times at least we think it. "Ikura?" How much is your charge? We soon get to know that word, and then those of us who haven't too much money to throw away, in order not to be cheated, do our best at the numerals. Ten (10) sen (cents) is the regular Jinrickisha fare for one hour, but foreigners must put on their *qui-vive* here as elsewhere lest they learn by experience. But to return. We have reached the Bluff, a beautiful high rising ground back of Yokohama proper where the foreign residents are situated. At *ni hyaku ni jen ni ban* (house 222) our party alights and at present writing we find ourselves being comfortably cared for by Rev. Dr. Draper, one of the presiding elders of the M. E. Church. More anon. Faithfully, J. W. WADMAN.

Yokohama, Sept. 1st, 1889.

A STORMY PASSAGE.

The Walla Walla Strikes a Heavy Gale Coming North.

The steamship Walla Walla, Captain Wallace, arrived last night at 12 o'clock, three days and fifteen hours from San Francisco. Yesterday morning, when between the Columbia river and Cape Flattery, a heavy gale was encountered. In the face of a fearful wind the sturdy vessel ploughed her way, washed by seas occasionally. One huge wave struck a load of fruit lashed to the guards and the fruit, about forty boxes consigned to Puget Sound firms, broke loose, carrying the rail with it. The passengers were somewhat nervous, but all unite in saying that the vessel is a splendid seagoing craft and admirably handled.

Her freight consisted of 2258 tons, of which 135 tons valued at $21,843 were for this port. She has via Vancouver for Winnipeg 330 cases canned fruit, value $996; for Boston, 21,589 pounds borax and 26,826 pounds wool, value $7240, and for New York 41,753 pounds borax and 855 cases canned goods, value $6852.

Her passengers for Victoria were: G. A. Carleton, R. H. Dixon, Mrs. E. Mallette and child, D. Fay, T. P. Pedro, Miss Williams, J. A. Straith and wife, J. G. Taylor and Geo. McDonald.

Spring Out Coal Lands.

Mr. Ralph Moore, for many years a government coal mining inspector in Scotland, and Mr. Wingate are making a tour of the several Nanaimo collieries and district. Rumor has it, says the *Free Press*, that they have an eye on some of the available coal properties in the southern portion of the district, with the object of purchase and development.

Patti Rosa.

Says the *Sportsman*: It is a long, long time since the play-going public in London have seen such a versatile and clever actress as Miss Patti Rosa, who introduces songs, dances, duets, medleys, banjo solos, etc., into her part, proving that she is one of the best all-round ladies who ever trod the boards. She sang and danced her way into the hearts of her audience, and she was recalled time after time.

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—F W Vincent, McCulloch, C W Ross, Mrs W Powers, Mrs J Simson, Jno Rowett W E Johnson, Jas Livesley, W H Wood, W Morton, Jane Williamson, Mrs A W Williamson, A Waite, Mrs Bitten, Mr Pendray, A Diver, Williorman, Mrs Mullendon, Arthur A Rasmun, Mrs Connolly, G Watkins, M H Hirschberg, S Williams, D M Eberts, J M McKillop, Mrs Calles, R U Colson, Wm Barker, J W Williamson and two children, May Richards, Mrs Richards, Mrs Pasick, A H Williamson, Mrs Willorman, Miss Fore, B Springer, Capt Urquhart, Mrs McLellan, R Brooks, Major Wilson, J McDougall, J Mitchell, S Shore, J R Gilmer, J Williamson, O Richards, Mrs Pendray, J Bunch, H Kimber, Miss Willorman, Henry Roessel.

Per Steamer Rithet from New Westminster—W A Russell, R Lequimen, R Martin, M Forbes, M Furlong, S Gee, Nelson, Sexsmith, Radford, Pieces, J M Burchell, Lelloy, H Antonio, Forest, 20 steerage.

Consignees.

Per Steamer Rithet from New Westminster—G R Stoddard, McLachlin Bros, King, Dwyer & Co, G Tollock, G Vienna, S G Smith, Thos Gorrie, W F Sayward, R Ward & Co, R P Rithet & Co, Albion Iron Works, Nicholles & Renouf, Brackman & Ker, W J Macaulay, Capt Lewis, Shore & Seabrook, J Leith, T L Lepage, T W Clark, geo Vienna.

Per Str. Walla Walla from San Francisco—A Lawrence, A W Wright, Albion Iron Works, A & W Wilson, A R Johnson & Co, Bean Sun Lon, Braden & Stanford, Barney Levy, Carne & Munsie, Carter & Ferris C Zoelle, C W Rogers, C P N Co, C Pitcones & Co, C J Rolson, D H Ross & Co, E S Marvin, Electric Railway & Light Co, Ellis & Co, E G Prior & Co, F Quinn, G R Maynard, Gum Gook Yuen, Gowen & Sons, H A Lilley, Hudson's Bay Co, H Burnett, John Lee jr, J Cannine, J & A Clearihue, Jas Smith, J Gossell, J Cunningham, J Leahy, J P Matthews & Co, Lenz & Leiser, M Cohen, Marvin & Tilton, McKillican & Anderson, Matthews Richards & Tye, M W Waitt & Co, N Portman, P McQuade & Son, R V Winch, R Baker & Son, R Maynard, R P Rithet & Co, R Borthwick, S J Pitts, S Leiser, Sue Wo Lung, Sue & Co, T W Clark, T Earle, T'N Hibben, Tog Lorne, Victoria Electric Illuminating Co, W J McMillan, W Tietjen, W F Thomson, Hong Chong, Yee Toon, Wells Fargo & Co.

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Corner Government and Johnson.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Between Noel J. Becar, Plaintiff, and Carl A. Landberg, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Crease made in this action this thirtieth day of September, A. D. 1889, I have been appointed to receive all rents and profits of the real and leasehold estates; and to get in the outstanding personal estate of the late firm of Lundberg & Bean.

Dated the 30th day of September, A. D. 1889.

MORRIS MOSS, Receiver.

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Yours respectfully,

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VICTORIA BUILDING SOCIETY

A MEETING OF THE ABOVE SOCIETY will be held at Harmony Hall, View street, on Wednesday evening the 2nd of October, 1889, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of holding the eighth drawing for an appropriation.

Be sure your shares are in good standing.

Outside public admitted.

The Society holds a balance of about 100 shares, which can be taken up by applying to the undersigned at his office, 30 Bank street, or at Harmony Hall every Monday evening from 7:30 to 9:30.

By order, A. ST. G. FLINT, Secretary.

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FAIR AND BAZAAR.

The Sisters of St. Ann's Convent propose holding their annual FAIR and BAZAAR at the Philharmonic Hall, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 9th and 10th of October next, on which days there will be Sales of Plain and Fancy Work. Refreshments will be served during these days. The public are cordially invited. The proceeds will, as usual, be devoted to the Orphans' fund. EMILY J. HAYNES, Lady President.

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